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MURRAY, KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, AUGUST 20, 1914.

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ACCEPTED MEN ARE NOW IN THE ARMY OF THE U.S.

All drafted men should now acquaint themselves with the time and manner of their departure for Camp Taylor at Louisville. Between September 5 and 9, the day to be specified by Adjutant General G. Tandy Ellis, of Frankfort, the first third of Calloway county's quota will be sent to Louisville. For twelve hours preceding their departure the men will be under jurisdiction of the local board and will be quartered and fed at some hotel to be designated by the board. Only by special permission can a man remain at home until the time for entraining.

Sometime between 8 a. m. and 5 p. m. the local board will have a roll call and will announce the time for departure of the men. Five alternates will be summoned before the board to take the places of any who might fail to show up. The board will name a commander for the company of men and the commander will select an assistant. They will have charge of all the men until they reach Camp Taylor and the orders must be strictly obeyed.

All drafted men are now considered in the military service of the United States and any shirkers will be treated as deserters and will be dealt with by court martial. Retreat roll call will be at 5:30 p. m. on the day the men are called in by the board and all must be present and answer "Here" when their names are called. They will step forward one pace.

The board will accompany the men to the train and after the men are aboard there will be another roll call to see that all are on hand. Railroad tickets will be furnished the commander of the party for everyone. Each man must have light luggage, consisting of toilet articles and change of underwear. The leader will be given a list of the men after final roll call and one copy of the registration card of every man forwarded, in addition to a copy of the physical examination blank of every man in the party.

After the departure of the men the local board will immediately notify the adjutant at Camp Tay-

lor by telegraph of the number forwarded and the hour of arrival. A list of the men forwarded will be mailed to the commander in addition to a copy of every registration and physical examination card.

In case any man fails to show up the local board will investigate his case, and if it is found that he has wilfully failed to report he will be reported to the adjutant general of the army at Washington as a deserter.

On reaching Camp Taylor the men will receive their final physical examination. If they are rejected they will be sent home and the local board will send others to fill their places. Not before the physical examinations at the camp are completed will the county's quota of men be considered filled.

In selecting the leader to have charge of the men from Murray to Louisville the local board will pick the man with the best executive ability.

On account of inadequate accommodations at Dawson Springs the district board, division No. 2, has removed to Madisonville, Ky. The board convened there Wednesday afternoon. It was in need of more clerical assistance which is probably secured by now. In the case of Henson Brooks, of Webster county, who appealed for exemption on the grounds of having a dependent wife, the board denied the exemption, but held up Brooks' industrial claim for further consideration. He is a farmer.

The personnel of the district board is as follows:

Judge William H. Yost, of Madisonville, chairman; Syd L. Dodds, of Hickman, secretary; V. Stinson, of Owensboro; W. D. Duncan, of Central City, and Dr. Graham, of Henderson.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Army officials today estimated fully 90 per cent of the men passed for service as physically fit by the local boards would be accepted after examination at the mobilization camps by army surgeons. This means that approximately 68,700 men will be sent home from the mobilization camps. Local boards will be ordered to call up new men immediately to fill each such vacancy in their jurisdiction.

J. A. Cochran, of Backusburg, makes announcement of new fall merchandise. Give his advertisement a careful reading.

120 ADDITIONAL MEN ARE CALLED FOR EXAMINATION

One hundred and twenty Calloway county men between the ages of 21 and 31 have been summoned to appear before the local exemption board here in Murray Friday and Saturday of this week to undergo physical examination preparatory to being drafted into the national army. Out of this number of men will be selected 43, the number necessary to make up Calloway's total for the army.

Last week the names of 97 men were certified to the district board. Our report last week was that 101 had been selected out of the first number of men examined, but following the publication of our paper the board found that a total of 101 had been accepted, but before the certification was made to the district board seven of this number were excused. Four men, Johnnie Witherspoon, Edgar Woodall, J. E. Jackson and J. L. Harmon, presented additional affidavits to the board setting forth the fact that each of their wives would soon become mothers. As a result they were granted exemptions and their names recorded on the "stork" book. J. M. Russell was exempted because he presented a discharge from the army, and the name of Jesse J. Roberts was found to have been placed in the first list of eligibles through an error. Thus far only three persons summoned have failed to report and they are J. F. Lovell or Lovett, of Blood; Tony Duncan, Dexter, and D. Y. Morgan, Boatwright.

As soon as the work of examining the new draft is completed and within the time fixed by law the board will pass upon the claims for exemptions and expect to complete the labor of securing Calloway's quota as early as possible. The names of the men summoned here for examination are as follows:

Coy L. Haneline, Thos. S. Wilkerson, Wm. H. Haley, Silas J. Scott, Clay Martin, Arlan Phillips, Dumas Outland, Claud Darrell, Jesse T. Marine, Finis Collins, Wm. C. Melugin, Robert R. Myers, Cordons C. McKinney, Nesbit N. McKeel, Jesse D. Hart, Galen M. Smith, Robt. W. Key, Barber C. Palmer, Edgar C. Miller, Wm. B. Harding, Geo. T. Parker, Galen Outland, Sylvester A. Paschall, Joseph A. Rogers, Rexie Smith, Javie L. Lassiter, Edgar B. Outland, Fred Barber, Lubie A. Cooper, DeWitt Wilkins, Wm. A. Thompson, Guy Simmons, Clem H. Walker, Will W. Campbell, Isaac W. Keys, Jas. O. Eulshire, Herman L. Mar-dia, Plenty A. Perry, Jas. E. Underwood, Elias C. Neal, Jack K. Farmer, Edwin Chiffert, Moses H. Thompson, Adolph Walker, Clyde E. Robertson, Emmett Barrow, Chas. C. Bradley, Wesley L. Farmer, Samuel L. Parish, Clate D. Paschall, Oury I. Ingram, Finis M. Bazzell, Frank Lyons, Jesse Beaman, Joe J. Montgomery, Rird A. Ezell, Walter Kirks, Prince E. Staples, Joe S. Hery, Cletus T. Paschall, Edward P. Henslee, E. Herbert Beach, Clyde Coltharp, Wm. M. Cline, Percy C. Walker, John V. Robinson, Thos. D. Eon, Sylvester Martin, John A. Parks, Vernon Gilbert, Clyde B. Vaughan, Frank Overly, Lake H. Paschall, Clyde M. Chambers, Chas. B. Crawford, John T. South, John Allen, R. H. Adams, Wm. G. Paschall, Andrew G. Paschall, Thos. I. Wooten, Nash C. Chapman, Wm. W. Percy, Hugh G. Gingles, Galen Wil-

lis, Edward W. Seaford, Leonas E. Wyatt, Lake E. Harris, Joe A. Gordon, Oatman Trevathan, Zelner B. Russell, Ralph Nuckols, Dolphus Jackson, Cleve Smith, Richard L. Montgomery, Albert Wicker, Connie E. Mills, Arthur Cunningham, James A. Stone, Ernest Smith, Edgar H. Lax, Hice M. Wilson, Clarence R. Stubblefield, Alvin Self, Acre Miller, Guy C. Edmonds, Ferdinand L. Logan, Rupert V. Morris, Wm. H. Evans, Morris C. Lamb, Little A. Duncan, Henry O. Armstrong, Geo. H. Pace, Sam H. Chadwick, Floyd Outland, Harold J. H. Ford, Romulus Parker, Samuel S. Garrett, Ernest Jones and Cecil H. Thurmond.

Tragedy Near Hickman Saturday

Hickman, Ky., Aug. 27.—As a result of the shooting affair at Bondurant, Ky., eight miles below here, this county, on the C. M. & G. railroad, which took place late Saturday afternoon, Virgil Brown is dead and Herby Brown is probably fatally injured with no chances for recovery. Robert Miller, who is alleged to have shot them, but who prior to the shooting was cut up by Herby and Virgil Brown, is in a very serious condition, with several big wounds, one in the side and back of the neck, one in the face and several in his body.

Details of the affair were not received until after the C. M. & G. train arrived last night, owing to telephone wires down, the dead boy and Herby Brown being brought here, the former to the undertaker's shop and the latter to the home of his mother, Mrs. Charles Brown, well-known family of this city.

Both of the young Brown boys who were cousins, were alleged to have been drinking and as they passed Miller's home were said to have been cursing. Miller, who was putting a tire on his auto in front of his home, asked them to desist as his wife could hear them, whereupon both turned on Miller with their knives, slashing him several times very badly. Finally managing to get away from them Miller staggered into his home and got a 41-Colt's pistol, returned shot Virgil Brown through the heart, who died instantly, and then shot Herby Brown twice through the chest and once through the stomach, the last bullet penetrating the bowels and lodging in the spinal column.

Herby Brown, who is about 25 years old and married, is in an unconscious condition and barely alive. Physicians say there is not the slightest hope for his recovery. Virgil Brown was 23 years of age.

Looking After Wind-Sammers

A representative of the United States government in the secret service work was in the city last Sunday looking after some matters regarding the disloyal remarks alleged to have been made and some unpatriotic demonstrations on the streets. The visit of an officer is no surprise to the people who have been watching the course some people have been taking in their talks upon the streets. He stated that all persons found guilty of making such disloyal remarks would be dealt with in accordance to the proclamation made by President Wilson, and that effort would be made to get all the evidence possible against such persons. The Mayfield Messenger.

New Brand of Male Feed.

When he became entangled in a grapevine, a two-year old mule owned by George Houser, of Florence Station, choked to death yesterday. The animal was valued at about \$200 and was being exhibited at the Mayfield fair. Sun.

FARMERS URGED TO INCREASE THE WHEAT ACREAGE

The agricultural department at Washington is calling upon the commissioners of agriculture and all other agricultural forces throughout the United States, earnestly pleading with them to use their influence toward increasing the acreage of wheat to be sown this fall; and since it is most imperative that Kentucky should increase her 1917 acreage 1 beg of each land owner in this commonwealth to see that this fall sowing is increased fully 25 per cent in acreage. Not only is this appeal made to the farmer in the nature of a "war appeal" and a patriotic effort, but it is a duty each farmer owes to his own household to produce an adequate supply of the necessities of life for the sustenance of that family, and under the existing war conditions, his obligations toward helping feed our allies should be just as paramount and just as eagerly performed as is the debt and duty he owes to his own family.

Kentucky for the past several years has been producing annually around eight million bushels of wheat, and it is estimated that ten million bushels of wheat are consumed each year by the people of the commonwealth. Therefore, in order to do our "military duty" during this serious crisis, I beg of the Kentucky people to increase the amount of wheat annually consumed at least two million bushels, and to the farmers of the state to do their utmost in producing twelve million bushels in 1918, which will give our allies the magnificent amount of four million bushels, and which is nothing more than we should do for those brave warriors who are today fighting the battle for the world's freedom.

Do not let the high price of seed wheat influence or prevent you from sowing an increased acreage, nor doubt but that the growing of wheat will be a profitable as well as a patriotic effort, even if the war were to close tomorrow. I can not believe that the farmers of this state fully realize the seriousness of the situation, and there-

fore I call upon them and assure them that every pulsation of the heart of every true American citizen is throbbing and most crying aloud for a greater increased production of this staple product. Mr. Farmer, won't you please do your part?

MAT S. COHEN,
Commissioner of Agriculture.
Protracted Gospel Meeting.

C. M. Pullias, of Huntsville, Ala., will begin a series of meetings at the Church of Christ in Murray on the first Lord's day in October, to continue for several days.

Bro. Pullias needs no recommendation to Murray as he has been here on two previous dates and is liked by all who have heard him.

The church here urgently requests that all the members begin now to advertise the meeting. It is hoped that the churches in the county surrounding Murray will attend and assist in this meeting.

Everybody is invited to attend these services and get a spiritual uplift, as you certainly will if you come and listen to these soul inspiring sermons.—T. B. Thompson, Pastor.

Dog Census Is Asked.

State Supt. V. O. Gilbert is writing county school authorities to make an effort to see that all dogs in their counties are fitted for taxation, as the schools receive the balance remaining in dog tax fund after deductions among sheep are paid for. He also expects to have sheep claims put under surveillance, as it has happened in the past that in counties where not a sheep valued at over \$2 had been returned for taxation, numbers of sheep worth from \$12 to \$30 have been killed by dogs.

Placed With New Assignment.

The Ledger is in receipt of the following communication from Robert Phillips, son of Dr. J. R. Phillips, of Almo, who recently volunteered in the navy.

"I have just been lucky enough to receive an appointment to the radio department of Harvard University for special instruction, so please send the Ledger to me there. I have been enjoying navy life very much, especially since I had the good fortune to get this appointment."

The Yellow Label on Your Paper Will Show How You are Standing.

We wish to direct attention to the fact that all payments on subscriptions to the Ledger the past two months have been passed to the credit of subscribers and each and every patron is asked to look at the label on his paper this week and see that the credit corresponds with his receipt. Your attention to this matter will confer a great favor upon the management and should any error be found we are going to ask that it be reported at once. Every effort possible is made to prevent any mistakes, but with a large list of names to look after it is possible for us to make mistakes.

We want to further call attention to the fact that quite a few of our subscribers are in arrears and with the continued advance in price of every character of material that enters into the publication of a paper it is going to be necessary for us to ask that these subscribers come forward at the very earliest date possible and make settlement. We have Florence Station, choked to death yesterday. The animal was valued at about \$200 and was being exhibited at the Mayfield fair. Sun.

your label and see that proper credit has been given you for the amount paid on your subscription during the past two months. In the future credits will be placed every week or two.

Stopped in Cadiz Enroute.

Hon. Ike W. Keen, democratic nominee for county attorney of Calloway county and teacher of the young men's class in the Christian church Sunday school of Murray, passed through Cadiz yesterday just before noon, with the members of his class for a visit to Mammoth Cave. They were making the trip in two automobiles. They intended to return Saturday by the way of Eddyville for a visit to the penitentiary. The young men in the party with Mr. Keen were: Will Graham, Herman Broach, Linn Keys, Slim Wells, Leslie Boyd, Raymond Smith, Adolphus Travis, Roy Holcomb, Kirk Pool, Rudy Tyne and Oscar Holand.—Cadiz Record.

Wade B. Porches, sergeant in the regular army, has been honorably discharged and has returned to his home near Chattanooga, Tenn.

Culpepper Revival Continues to Attract Record Crowds Each Service.

The Culpepper revival which has been in progress at the Overly garage since last Saturday night week continues to attract capacity crowds at each service, and as a result of the meeting to date 153 conversions are reported. It is understood that the meeting will continue until Sunday night of this week.

Last Sunday was an unusual day for Murray. Services were held in the morning, two services in the afternoon, one for men only and one for women only, and the regular night service and large crowds attended each of the services. In fact, it has not been possible to accommodate the congregations attending with seats at a single service held up to this time and hundreds have been compelled to stand in order to hear the sermons. Dinner was served in the court yard Sunday after the morning service and several hundreds of persons enjoyed the occasion. The restaurant and drug stores were open throughout the day and hundreds of out of town folks remained from the morning service until after the night service. A large crowd here during the en-

tire day reminded one of the usual fourth Monday crowds. The entire square was roped off and no vehicles of any character were allowed to cross the public thoroughfare. This action was taken to prevent a congestion of the square with autos and buggies, thus preventing the people from reaching the court yard where the dinner was served.

Commencing last Monday morning at 11 o'clock at Hazel Rev. Culpepper has been making a whirlwind campaign of the county delivering a sermon at the morning hour and also at 1 o'clock, returning to Murray in time for the regular afternoon appointment. He and his party have visited Hazlet, Sulphur Springs, New Hope, Lynn Grove, South Pleasant Grove, Collierville, Kirksey, Dexter and Almo. Rev. Culpepper is one of the most successful evangelists of the Methodist church and large crowds attending each service is evidence that Murray and Calloway county people are pleased with his preaching. Without doubt, the revival here is the most successful in the history of the county.

LIBERAL POLICY IS
URGED BY WILSONPRESIDENT MAKES NEW RULING
AFTER SOME BOARDS HAD
MISINTERPRETED LAW.

MANY MARRIED MEN EXEMPT

If Dependency Can Be Proven Dis-
charges Will Be Granted—Only 5
Per Cent of Drafted Men To Be
Started To Camp Sept. 5.

Washington.—At the direct sugges-
tion of President Wilson, Provost Mar-
shal General Crowder has telegraphed
to all governors a supplemental ex-
planation of regulations governing the
status of married men under the se-
lective service law. No change in regu-
lation is made, and the purpose of the
new statement is to clear up misun-
derstandings which have arisen in
what Gen. Crowder describes as "a
few instances."

In a letter to Secretary Baker, quoted
by Gen. Crowder, President Wilson
states his opinion that the regulation
directing local boards "to establish
the fact of dependency in addition to
the fact of marriage" ought not to be
abrogated. This leaves the regula-
tions as they are and the supplement-
ary statement is designed merely to
make the application of the rules qui-
etern among all boards.

While the statement regarding mar-
ried men was in preparation, orders
were issued changing entirely the "de-
pendency" arrangements previously
made. "Congress of rail traffic and
the necessity of making better provi-
sion for the reception of the men at the
cantonments dictated the changes."

Under the new orders, five per cent
of the white men, preferably those
with military experience, from each
local area, will be started forward to
the camps on Sept. 5, instead of 30 per
cent. They will go in five daily de-
tachments of equal size and form shel-
ter camps, organized and run by
company organizations and set
up a going concern into which the
remainder of the total quota can be
absorbed without confusion as they
reach the cantonments.

The next 40 per cent of the quota
will go forward Sept. 12, when the ac-
crued 30 per cent originally was sched-
uled to go; a second 40 per cent will
go forward Oct. 3 instead of the third
20 per cent, and the remaining 10 per
cent will be called up as soon there-
after as practicable.

Local boards are directed to dis-
card order of liability numbers to
some extent in selecting the first five
per cent, so men of experience, such
as cooks and former soldiers, are de-
clared at that time. Warning is given,
however, against getting into this levy
by reason of his experience any man
who might not otherwise have been
included in the first increment of the
draft at all.

MOVIE COMPANY SUES CITY

Attitude of Mayor Thompson Causes
Film Concern To Bring Suit

Chicago.—Mayor Thompson's atti-
tude toward the war is included in a
suit filed by a moving picture com-
pany over a film suppressed by Sec-
ond Deputy of Police M. L. C. Funk-
houser. The play is said to depict ac-
tivities of German spies in America
and the hero loses his life through loy-
alty to the United States. The peti-
tion states that Mr. Funkhouser re-
fused the permit on the ground that it
might offend the Germans of Chicago.
The petition further alleges that
"Mayor Thompson has expressed him-
self publicly and privately as opposed
to the war and opposed to the United
States prosecuting the war."

EXPLOSION WAS PLANNED

Investigation Reveals the Fact That
Navy Yard Explosion Was Not
Result of Accident.

Washington.—The explosion at Mare
Island Navy Yard in July, killing and
injuring more than 30, is pronounced
in an official report by Secretary Dan-
iels to have been the deliberate act of
some one unknown and not an acci-
dent.

Secretary Daniels made public a
synopsis of the report made after in-
vestigation by the bureau of or-
nance and navigation and the judge
advocate general for the navy. All those
branches of the service who had been
there had been no hint of any in-
structions or restrictive directions of
the method of investigation.

It was the Mare Island explosion in-
vestigation which led to the recent bit-
ter controversy between Secretary
Daniels and the Navy League, which
censured in Mr. Daniels' cutting off all
relations between the naval establish-
ment and the league.

Putting "Screws" on Netherlands.
Washington.—Germany is bringing
pressure to bear on the Netherlands
by a threat to stop steel shipments
and thus hold up Dutch ship-building
unless these ships are used in Ger-
many's interest during the war and
for six years thereafter.

Chicago Leads Cities.
Chicago, Chicago, claims the honor
of being the first city in the world
to get more than its full draft quota.
Figures of men drafted and accepted
show the city 51 in excess of its quota
of approximately 25,000.

INDICT 40 NEGRO SOLDIERS

Texas Authorities Indignant Because
War Department Took Riots
From Houston.

Houston. Indictments were return-
ed by the Harris county grand jury
against 40 negro soldiers of the Twen-
ty-fourth United States Infantry, be-
lieved to have been involved in the
mutiny and murders last week.

When the 34 negroes charged with
murder were released from the county
jail and taken out of the city with oth-
er members of the Twenty-fourth, in-
dignation was expressed by the dis-
trict Attorney Crocker, who decided upon
an investigation. An indictable infor-
mation was laid before the grand jury
by Assistant District Attorney Wil-
kinson.

It was announced from a semi-offi-
cial source that all soldiers held on
mutiny, riot and raiding charges would
be held in San Antonio for the pres-
ent.

Following a tour of the city and con-
ference with civil and military lead-
ers, Maj. Gen. George Bell, Jr., who ar-
rived to command Camp Logan, re-
sounded martial law order.

Indignation is high here at the re-
moval of the mutinous soldiers. Peo-
ple of Houston want them court-mar-
shaled and executed here.

W. C. Mann, one of the city's lead-
ing merchants, wrote a petition to
Secretary Baker, which was signed
by hundreds of men in the
downtown district.

SHRAPNEL KILLS TWO MEN

Fire Over Old Shell Sets It Off—Two
Soldiers Are Dead and Others
Are Injured.

Camp Doniphan, Ft. Bull, Okla.—A
"live" shrapnel shell, half-buried on
the site of the artillery range used by
the school of fire here more than a
year ago, took the lives of Privates
Nelson and James Kelly of Battery A,
Second Missouri field artillery, when
the fire over which the soldiers were
cooking their first meal after their
arrival, caused an explosion which
wrecked the mess hall and wounded
your companions. They were:

Privates Oakley, Bloomer, McGraw
and Raymond Rose. All lived in Kan-
sas City.

Nelson was killed outright, while
Kelly died on his way to the military
hospital, where the wounded were
taken. Army physicians said amputa-
tion of Private Oakley's leg was neces-
sary.

Army officers were puzzled over the
explosion, but agreed that it was caused
by an abandoned shell on the range,
which had not been used since early
in 1918. On this site a mess hall had
been erected.

The heat of the stove over which
the soldiers were cooking brought on
the explosion, which demolished the
building and blew the stove high in
the air.

CAPTURE BRANDENBURGERS.

French Take Kaiser's Picked Men In
Verdun Attacks.

On the French Front. Men from
the German emperor's favorite units
from Brandenburg were captured in
the French attack at Verdun. The
prisoners taken in the preceding days
comprise 1,100 men and 20 officers of
the Twentieth Regiment, 1,085 men
and two officers of the Twenty-fourth
Regiment, 546 men and 17 officers
from the Thirty-fifth Regiment.

WRECK AUSTRIAN DEFENSES

Big Guns Roaring Along Every 30
Yards of 37-Mile Italian
Frontier.

With the Italian Army.—A gun
every 30 yards on a front of 37 miles
is the wonderful concentration of ar-
tillery in General Cadorna's offensive
against the Austrians. At one point
2,000 pieces of artillery of all calibers
are pouring ceaseless fire into the Aus-
trian lines, blasting away their most
carefully prepared positions.

Prisoners said that the Austrian
batteries have been disabled by this
terrible fire. However the enemy is
resisting desperately at all points.

The total number of prisoners taken
in the Italian drive is officially an-
nounced at 10,000. The war office an-
nounces new successes on the south
front of the Italian battle line, the Ital-
ians taking 10,000 prisoners with strong
positions.

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK.

350,000 Bushels of Oats Go Down With
Vessel, Crew Reports.

An Atlantic Port.—The torpedoing
of the British steamer Trevelick, laden
with 350,000 bushels of oats for the
French government, was reported by
the officers of a British steamer. The
crew of the Trevelick were rescued
by an American warship after they
had been adrift a short time. The Tre-
velick was a small ship but had no chance
to defend herself.

Famous Racer Drops Dead.
Peabody, Mass.—Kearney B., a well-
known race horse of several years ago,
fell dead while being driven in a driv-
ing club matinee at Rockdale Park
here. Kearney B. was brought to east-
ern tracks 15 years ago.

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A SCRAP FROM A LETTER HOME



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CRISIS IN RUSSIA
BECOMES SERIOUSOUTCOME OF SOCIALIST MEET-
ING MAY INVOLVE FATE OF
NEW REPUBLIC.

RIGA DRIVE IS STRATEGIC

Recent Tautonic Successes Have Ag-
gravated Internal Disturbances—
Officials at Washington Closely
Watch All Moves.

Washington.—Russia's critical inter-
nal situation, aggravated by the new
German drive against Riga, threaten-
ing the capital, is watched by the of-
ficials here with grave concern. It is
known that official sources are closely
in accord with press dispatches de-
scribing grave political conditions.

The outcome of the forthcoming ex-
traordinary national council to be held
at Moscow is awaited here with inter-
est scarcely less keen than in Russia
itself. The immediate fate of Russia
is felt, depends upon it. Out of the
great gathering, in which the conserva-
tive elements of all sorts are expected
to unite in an effort to compel the
provisional government to throw off
the socialist control of the soldiers
and workmen's council, one of two re-
sults is expected:

The formation of a strong central-
ized government, capable of rapidly re-
organizing the army and resuming the
offensive against the central powers or
open civil strife.

It appears that little can be done by
outside influence, even that of the
American government, to help imme-
diately in the crisis. The problem was
discussed at a conference by Secre-
taries Lansing, McAdoo and Baxer-
ton. It is understood that attention was
given chiefly to the financial and in-
dustrial aid which the United States
can and will give and the assurance
of which is counted upon to strengthen
the hand of the Russian provisional
authorities. Ambassador Baklanoff
spent virtually the entire day at the
treasury talking over with officials the
financial needs of his government.

GERMANS STOP BATHING.

Great Increase in Skin Diseases and
Other Disorders Reported.

Amsterdam.—The proposed prohibi-
tion of bathing at private homes in
Germany to save fuel and soap is
called rank folly by the Volksche-
itung of Berlin. The paper says many
public baths already are closed, owing
to a lack of coal and attributes nota-
ble increases in skin diseases, dysen-
tery and other disorders to enforced
uncleanliness.

NEGRO SOLDIERS IN RIOTS

Race Disturbances at Houston Cause
Removal of Negro Regiment
From Texas.

Washington. Negro regulars en-
gaged in recent rioting at Houston
will be moved away immediately, Sec-
retary of War Baker declared.
Senator Sheppard, of Texas, called
on Secretary Baker, saying he would
recommend that no more negro troops
be sent to Texas. Baker informed him
that troops had been sent to take
charge of the situation, and that it
was already well in hand.

AIRPLANE RAID ON BRITAIN.

German Flyers Drop Bombs on Im-
portant Naval Base.

London.—Ten German airplanes
made a raid on the English coast in
the county of Kent, the first war of
the campaign. Two of the raiding
machines were brought down. Bombs
were dropped at Dover and at Mar-
tello. Three persons were killed and
several injured. The statement says the
raiders were unable to penetrate far
inland.

O.S. PLANS TO BUILD
1,270 NEW VESSELSSHIPBUILDING PROGRAM CALLED
FOR 7,888,000 TONNAGE TO BE
BUILT AT ONCE.

ASKS FOR BILLION DOLLARS

Estimates Submitted to Secretary Mc-
Adoo With Request for Appropria-
tion to Rush Construction
an Emergency Fleet.

Washington.—The government's
shipbuilding program calls for a total
of 1,270 ships of 7,888,000 tons. It
is revealed in estimates the shipping
board sent to Secretary McAdoo, who
went to base a request for a billion
dollar appropriation.

This is in addition to nearly two mil-
lion tons of shipping now building in
American yards, which has been com-
menced by the emergency fleet cor-
poration. A large part of the govern-
ment fleet and of the emergency fleet
will be completed by the end of
the fiscal year, June 30, 1919. Build-
ing, commandeering and purchases of
vessels will total about two billion
dollars.

Estimates of the entire cost of con-
struction are given as follows:

Contracts already let, 433 ships of
1,919,200 tons, \$285,000,000; contracts
ready to let, 422 ships of 2,968,000
tons, \$455,500,000; under negotiation,
222 ships of 1,231,000 tons, \$114,000,000;
150 miscellaneous vessels of 1,
800,000 tons, \$300,000,000; construc-
tion of government owned fabricating
yards, \$35,000,000.

Commandeering will cost \$15,000,000,
and the purchases of ships \$150,000,000.
The board already has re-
ceived for construction \$50,000,000,
and for commandeering \$25,000,000.

The board now asks from con-
gress authorization to spend for con-
struction \$19,500,000; for com-
mandeering, \$25,000,000, and for purchase
\$150,000,000. The appropriation asked
to carry the board through the fiscal
year is divided as follows:

Building, \$400,000,000; commandeering,
\$25,000,000, and purchases, \$150,
000,000.

MOVEMENT OF DRAFT ARMY

Date for Mobilization Has Been
Changed to Get All Can-
tonments Completed.

Washington.—The first 30 per cent
of the draft army will move to the
cantonment camps, Sept. 5 to Sept. 9.
The second 30 per cent will move
from Sept. 19 to Sept. 23. The re-
minder will go between Oct. 3 and
Oct. 7.

The railroads will be taxed to their
 utmost capacity to move these men.
All over the country the railroads have
been asked to transport 657,000 men to
training camps. This will mean the
largest troop transportation in the
country's history.

PERFECT DRAFT RECORD.

Birthplace of Lincoln Has Best Rec-
ord in the United States.

Louisville, Ky.—Larue county, Ken-
tucky, the birthplace of Abraham Lin-
coln, made a perfect record in the
draft, according to the official list re-
turned by the district board. "Larue
county's quota for the national army
was 132. Only 132 were examined.
Not one claimed exemption and not
one failed to pass the physical ex-
amination."

CANADIANS MAKE GAINS.

Hottest Place on British Front Is Held
by Canadians.

London.—Lens is still the hottest
point on the British front. Field Mar-
shal Haig reports that the Canadians
have advanced their lines, slightly
but significantly.

ITALIAN SOLDIERS
TAKE MONTE SANTOAUSTRIAN STRONGHOLD FALLS
AFTER FIERCE STRUGGLE—
WIN OVER ROUGH GROUND.

CADORNA BREAKS THROUGH

Italian Soldiers Drive Ancient Enemy
From Their Soil—Struggle Con-
tinues Along the Carso—Many
Brigades Fought Bravely.

Rome.—The tricolors of Italy are
flying from the summit of Monte San-
to, which was an Austrian stronghold
on the Italian front, according to the
official statement issued by the Italian
war department.

The Italian second army, Gen. Ca-
dorna reports, has broken through the
Austro-Hungarian line of defense at
several points and is closely pursuing
the Austro-Hungarians, who are retir-
ing and defending the difficult ground
yard by yard.

The statement says:
"The tricolor is now flying on the
summit of Monte Santo. The gallant
troops of the second army having
broken through the line of defense at
several points and are closely pursu-
ing the enemy, who is retiring and de-
fending the difficult ground yard by
yard."

"On the Carso the struggle is continu-
ing around the positions captured by
us, which the enemy is vainly trying
to retake. In the incessant fighting
in Salerno, Cantanaro and the Narga
brigades have distinguished them-
selves for their boldness and stubborn-
ness."

"The aerial activity continues every-
where. Our Caproni machines, after
having several times bombed the Chi-
povano Valley, crowded with enemy
troops, flew low and engaged the in-
fantry. Of the 232 airplanes which
took part in the battle only one did
not return."

The final success of the Italians in
winning their greatest battle in this
war is thrilling the country as never
before. Both the army and the civil-
ians now see the result of two years'
suffering and economic hardship.
The victory came unexpectedly, not
withstanding the encouraging bulle-
tins of the last fortnight. It is a
Cadorna's rule never to announce an
army until certain that his troops are
able to hold new positions.

SENDING MAIL TO SOLDIERS

How Letters for the Boys in the Na-
tional Army Camps Should
Be Addressed.

Washington.—Before long several
thousand young men will be in the
various cantonment camps of the na-
tional army, and their relatives and
other friends will wish to write to
them. In order to expedite the deliv-
ery of their mail, and give the boys
the best service possible, the post of-
ficials instruct their correspond-
ents, if they know in advance the
company and regiment to which the
soldier is assigned, to address mail
according to this sample:

PRIVATE JOHN DOE,
A Company, First Infantry,
Camp Shelby, Miss.

If the company and regiment are
not known, the mail should be ad-
dressed thus:

PRIVATE JOHN DOE,
Camp Shelby, Miss.

When all troops are organized the
mail for each man will be distributed
direct to his company and regiment
until then it will be delivered through
his state section.

U-BOATS GET 20 VICTIMS

Fifteen Vessels of More Than 1,600
Tons Fall Afoul of German
Submarines.

London.—The number of British
merchantmen sunk by submarines of
nines in the last week was only eight
less than the previous week, but a
considerable falling off was noted.
According to the official statement
15 vessels of more than 1,600 tons
were sunk and three vessels of less
than 1,600 tons, in addition to two fish-
ing vessels, as compared with 14 large
vessels the previous week, two small
vessels and three fishermen.

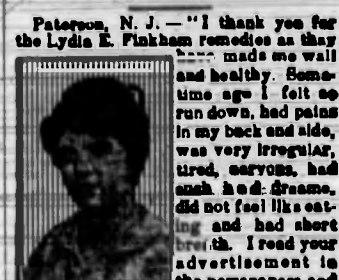
The admiralty statement says:
"Arrivals, 2,838, sailings, 3,764.
British merchantmen sunk by
mines or submarines over 1,600 tons,
exclusive of one previously lost, under
1,600 tons, 3."

"British merchantmen unsuccessful-
ly attacked, including two previously
lost, 12."
"British fishermen sunk, 2."

EDITOR TAKES OWN LIFE.

French Editor Kills Self Before Facing
Charges of Sedition.

Paris.—Miguel Almeraya, editor of
the Journal du Peuple, arrested on a
charge of sedition, committed suicide
according to the reports of the police.
The official statement says:
"Arrivals, 2,838, sailings, 3,764.
British merchantmen sunk by
mines or submarines over 1,600 tons,
exclusive of one previously lost, under
1,600 tons, 3."

WOMAN NOW IN
PERFECT HEALTHWhat Came From Reading
a Pinkham Adver-
tisement.

Pateron, N. J.—"I thank you for
the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies as they
made me well and healthy. Some-
times ago I felt so
run down, had pains
in my back and side,
was very irregular,
tired, nervous, had
such a bad drainage,
did not feel like eat-
ing and had short
breath. I read your
advertisement in the
newspapers and
decided to try a bottle of Lydia E. Pink-
ham's Vegetable Compound. It worked
from the first bottle, so I took a second
and a third also a bottle of Lydia E.
Pinkham's Blood Purifier, and now I am
just as well as any other woman. I ad-
vise every woman, single or married,
who is troubled with any of the afore-
said ailments, to try your wonderful
Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier
and I am sure they will help her to get
rid of her troubles as they did me."—
Mrs. ELISE J. VAN DER SANDS, 26 Na-
York St., Paterson, N. J.

Write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine
Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass., if you
need special advice.

WINTERSMITH'S
CHILL TONICSold for 47 years. For Malaria, Chills
and Fever. Also a Pine General
Strengthening Tonic.

The Situation.
"How are you making out with your
chicken farming?"
"I find it hard scratching."

DON'T GAMBLE.
"That your heart's right. Make
sure. Take 'Wint-Smith's'—a heart and
nerve tonic. Price 50c and \$1.00—Adv."

Had a Warm Job.
The fact that half of the world
hasn't thought of how the other half
is living has been pretty well estab-
lished, but even now the details of old
and depressing duties and routine ar-
rangements. A remarkably pretty girl
swooned while standing at the side of
a bench on a subway platform, says a
New York newspaper. She fell heavily,
and soon from the rush hour
through several women had gathered
about her. She revived quickly and
looked about rather apologetically.
"Thank you," she said to a woman who
was holding a wet handkerchief to her
forehead. "I just got dizzy for a mo-
ment." She closed her eyes again and
looked very white and weak. "I guess
I'm all right," she said after a little.
"I'm tired and warm. I'm working as
a clerk most downtown and all day
I've been trying on fur coats. I'm just
tired."

Uncle Hiram, from Ludunk, was
taken by his nephew into a downtown
lumber yard.

"I guess I'll have some coffee and
smokers," said the nephew.

"Did you say 'smokers'?" asked the
old man.

"I sure did, uncle."

"Well," said Uncle Hiram, as he
eyed him on a spaghetti end, "I reckon
I'll have a mere 'o' b'ob' line like
that there feller is eatin' out of a
bowl."

War-time Economy.
Temperance Reform.—And where
are you taking that beer, my little
girl?

Little Girl—"Come to father, sir."
Temperance Reform.—But your fa-
ther surely doesn't drink beer at ten-
pence a pint?

Little Girl—"Oh, no, sir! 'E don't
drink it; 'e only sows 'is bread in it—
Passing Show."

As It Might Have Been.
Ben Franklin offered Philadelphia
with the historic ring of bread under
his arm. While sailing on the curb,
a citizen approached.

"Are they having a vention, sir?"
inquired the citizen.

"No, sir," replied Ben, nibbling at
the bread, "only a fair."

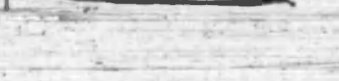
Strange Impressions.
"You go to moving pictures instead
of to the saloon?"

"No," replied Frank to Bob. "I
never made two world seem wild-
er or dizzier than some of them films."

A new invention for automobiles is
a combination of ordinary spring and
snock answer.

Bankruptcy never gets the man
who buys only what he can pay
for.

No bowl is too
big when it holds
Post
Toasties



THE MURRAY LEDGER

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 30, 1917

We can't help but feel kindly slighted because Jennings, of the Murray Ledger, invited Henry Lawrence over to Murray to attend the Culppeper revival and didn't ask us. Jennings knows we used to always spend Sunday in his "burg," and all we need now is an invitation. The trouble is Jennings let his mule get away from him in the last campaign over there and he has not been able to locate him since. Eddyville Herald.

Well, Clay, old top, just had to limit the number of invitations that we sent out last week. Didn't have enough to go around, and feeling that we were indebted to the Lawrence boys, of the Cadiz Record, for past favors under similar circumstances, we confined the invitation to them upon this occasion. However, the tight-wads wouldn't loosen up for the necessary gasoline to haul their fiver over last Sunday and we were compelled to enjoy the day alone. And this, too, after having the ice box moved out to the well house, and we had in—not the ice box—but the dining room, stuffed chicken and dressing, and a crocheted center piece on the table, and corn-a-la-hog, and something else but we have forgotten and we felt rather pained after eating and drinking most everything there was about the premises because they did not come, and fully decided that hereafter we would be a little more generous with our invitations. We have placed your name on our waiting list, Clay.

Over in Murray, Ky., our old home, there started last Sunday a big revival in the Methodist church. The fact that Deacon Ol' Jennings, editor of the Murray Ledger, is taking more than a passing interest in it, augurs that the meeting will be a powerful uplift to that good town. When the average Kentucky country editor stops "passing" or raising the ante in a foursome game with 25c on the corner, for passing the collection plate and raising a collection in church, or ceases histin' steeles to his chune in a congregation when the organist is late, it indicates that such revival has a half-nelson on the community. We are looking for "glorious results" from the Burke Culppeper revival at Murray.—Ed Crowe, in the Dexter, Mo., Statesman.

As proof that we are right in the assertion that any editor anywhere is better equipped for histin' makes no difference what, where, when, after histin' a few steels, we respectfully submit this matter to John McMelean. His decision must be accepted without right of appeal.

WHY YOU ARE NERVOUS

The nervous system is the alarm system of the human body.

In perfect health we hardly realize that we have a network of nerves, but when health is ebbing, when strength is declining, the same nervous system gives the alarm as headache, dizziness, dreamful sleep, irritability and unless corrected, leads straight to a breakdown.

To correct nervousness, Scott's Emulsion is exactly what you should take; its rich nutrient gets into the blood and rich blood feeds the tiny nerve-cells while the whole system responds to its refreshing tonic force. It is free from alcohol.

Scott's Emulsion, New York, N. Y.

FOR SALE

ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1917, at 2 o'clock p. m., I will offer for sale my home place one-half mile west of Hazel, on the state line road, 17 acres land with good house, 4 rooms and hall below and 2 rooms upstairs.

Will also offer for sale on this day 1 mule 7 years old; 1 milk cow and 1 heifer; 1 sow and pigs; 1 good wagon and 1 horse wagon; some farming tools. Terms made known on day of sale.

J. T. DULANEY

CALLOWAY WILL START WORK ON TWO HIGHWAYS.

Calloway county is to start the construction of at least two highways on the state aid plan this year. One of the roads has already been selected and the other has been practically agreed upon. The road leading from Murray to Lynn Grove, thence to the Graves county line to form a junction with the Graves county state aid road, has been designated and a survey of same to the Frank Beaman farm, about 5 miles from town, has been ordered. Citizens living along this route have subscribed \$2,500 for the road, the county will give a like amount and the state will furnish a sum equal to both amounts. Work on the survey of this road is now in progress and as soon as completed the construction work will be begun.

The other road to receive the state aid this year has not yet been definitely determined. The members of the fiscal court went over the two roads between Murray and Hazel, the Paris road and the regular Murray and Hazel road, Wednesday of this week but owing to the fact that the state engineer was not present a decision could not be reached. It is certain, however, that one or the other of these inter-county road routes will be designated. It will not be possible for either of these roads to be completed to the county line this year, but it will be necessary for them to be built before any other roads can receive funds from the state.

Missing Horse and Buggy Located.

A daughter of Jas. Lassiter, who lives a few miles west of the city, came to town Tuesday afternoon of this week to do some shopping. She drove a horse to a buggy, and upon reaching the city hitched the animal to a telephone pole across the street from the Christian church. After spending some time in the stores trading the young lady went to the place where she thought she hitched her horse, on North Curd street, near the rear of the Gatlin building. Not finding the animal there the matter was reported to the police.

Search was instituted and Deputy Bert Ray went to Paducah Tuesday night, following a report that a man was seen driving a horse to a buggy answering the description of the missing animal and vehicle. Authorities of other nearby towns were also advised of the supposed theft. Wednesday morning the horse was found hitched where the young lady had left him Tuesday afternoon and Mr. Lassiter was notified.

See Henry B. Warner in "The Vagabond Prince," Thursday night at the Dixie Theatre. Friday night, Kathline Williams and House Peters in "The Highway of Hope," also Paramount comedy. Saturday night, Charlie Chaplin. Also Bessie Bariscale in "The Bawls of Blue Ridge."

Prices, Thursday and Friday nights, 5 and 10 cents; Saturday night, 10 and 15 cents. The next serial starts September 7 and will be run on Friday nights. A two reel feature for the children will be run each Monday night in connection with other reels.

Cole Show.—Our annual colt show will be held at the home of Errett Grogan, half mile south of New Hope church, on Saturday, September 8, at 2 o'clock p. m. Mule buyers expected.—J. T. Hurt & Son. 5302p

Cole Show.—I will hold my annual colt show on Saturday, September 15, at 2 o'clock p. m.—J. W. Crawford.



Announce Their Removal to Their

Beautiful New Home

407 Broadway

And Their Readiness for

Business Now

See Wells and you'll see well.

Pollard White, John Woodruff and others, of Cadiz, attended the Culppeper meeting Sunday. A nine pound daughter was born to Hardin Morris and wife Tuesday. "And she shall be called Ruth."

Otis Butterworth and wife, of Brookport, Ill., have been in the county the past several days the guests of relatives.

Bufe Brown has moved to Murray from Crossland and is occupying the Marsh Williams residence on Poplar street.

Mrs. J. A. Hassell, of Ridgely, Tenn., arrived here Sunday to visit her daughter, Miss Lillian Hassell, who is a patient in the local hospital.

Tin Cans.—I have a surplus of tin cans that I am offering for sale at cost price. See me if you need cans. O. W. Harrison, Murray, Ky.

Mrs. Emma Jones, of Paris, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. G. O. Gatlin, the past week. She will move to Obion, Tenn., in September.

W. T. Sledd went to market this week and Mrs. Sledd accompanied home as far as Dawson, where she will remain for the next several days.

For Sale.—A five Passenger Ford, 1917 model, in good condition, in fact nearly new. Will sell or take good horse in deal. Apply to H. E. Stephens, Murray, Ky.

Dr. Newton Evans, of Loma Linda, Cal., visited in Murray last week. He was called to Nashville, Tenn., on account of the serious illness of his mother and stopped here enroute home.

A son was born last Monday to Dee Mitchell and wife. Mrs. Mitchell is in Paducah, Tenn., with her parents, John McMelean and wife. Mr. Mitchell is with a telephone company at Golconda, Ill.

MURRAY ASTONISHED BY MERCHANTS STORY

A merchant relates the following: "For years I could not sleep without turning every hour. Whatever I ate caused gas and sourness. ONE SPOONFUL buckhorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-ika relieved me. I STANTLY." Because Adler-ika flushes the ENTIRE alimentary tract it relieves ANY CASE constipation, sour stomach or gas and prevents appendicitis. It has QUICKEST action of anything we ever sold. Dale & Stubblefield.

Get Ready.

Now is the time that your hens will moult or shed their feathers. This process is rather slow and Nature should be assisted. B. A. Thomas' poultry remedy will help your hens to moult causing them to shed earlier and be ready to lay when eggs are highest in the winter. If this remedy does not make good, we will.—Sexton Bros.

A lazy liver leads to chronic dyspepsia and constipation—weaken the whole system. Doan's Regulents (30c per box) act mildly on the liver and bowels. At all drug stores.

For Sale.—Four horse power motor hay press; 16 x 18 inch press; good as new. See Dane McClure or Houston Lax, Hazel, Rte 2. 8232p

Remember embalming is done free for our patrons who desire it.—Murray Furniture & Undertaking Co. Both 'phones.

I have had some very badly decomposed bodies to embalm and have had pretty good success.—J. H. Churchill.

Wanted.—A small, improved farm.—Mrs. J. R. Sackett—Hazel, Ky., Rt. 1. 8232p

Misses Clotile and Voline Pool were the guests of relatives in Paducah this week.

RUB-MY-TISM

Will cure Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Headaches, Cramps, Colic Sprains, Bruises, Cuts, Burns, Old Sores, Tetter, Ring-Worm, Eczema, etc. Antiseptic Anodyne, used internally or externally. 25c

Itch! Itch! Itch!—Scratch Scratch! Scratch! The more you scratch the worse the itch. Try Doan's Ointment. For eczema, any skin itching. 60c a box.

Mrs. W. P. Briserdine and Miss Oral Smith, of the "Dependon" store, left the first of the week for the markets to purchase fall and winter merchandise.

Fragrant Talcums

We believe we offer you the finest collection of Talcums to be had in this town.

All makes of importance and popularity can be had here, and our prices are always in keeping with the quality of the product and can be depended upon to be as low as square dealing permits. Especially are we interested in having you try

Penstar
Red Rose Lilac and Violet Talcums

They are exquisite, each is priced at 25c.

H. P. WEAR
Murray, Ky.

LOCAL and PERSONAL

Wanted to buy ten new shirts. N. B. Barnett, Murray.

W. H. Finney left Tuesday night for Dawson to spend several days.

E. F. Blanks and family, of Treasvant, Tenn., are in Murray on a business trip.

The week old infant of Herbert Elliott, near Pottertown, died Sunday. Burial in Barnett grave yard.

Mrs. M. E. Brown and daughter, Miss Kate, of Boydsville, spent several days in Murray the first of the week.

The three months old child of Walter Hartsfield, northeast of town, died the past week and was buried in the Gardner grave yard.

Eddie Turnbow, of Craves, and Miss Malinda Tidwell will be married Sunday at the home of her father, C. L. Tidwell, of the west side.

Mrs. R. L. Ellison and Sula Godwin and wife, of Ft. Worth, Texas, are here the guests of Mrs. Ellison's brother, Nat Ryan, and family.

O. T. Hale & Co. have fine children's white dresses, \$3.50 and \$3.75 values, to close a \$2.45 this week. Visit the ready to wear department.

Miss Tammie Kirkland, of this city, has been elected principal of the Henry Clay school, of Paducah. Miss Kirkland has been teaching in the Paducah schools for several years and her selection for this responsible position is recognition of her ability and is evidence of the esteem in which she is held in that city. She will leave the latter part of this week to assume charge of her new assignment.

Prof. C. H. Jaggars left last Monday for Clay, Ky., to assume the principalship of the public schools of that place. Prof. Jaggars has been teaching in Murray for a number of years and during his citizenship here won many friends who regret to see him leave. He is a very capable teacher, a splendid gentleman and the Ledger wishes him the success he deserves in his new field of labor. His family will remain here until arrangements are completed for a home by Prof. Jaggars.

Mrs. Viola Dealy left today for Dawson to spend the next ten days.

Miss Louise Graham left today for Louisville, Ky., near where she will visit relatives for the next several weeks.

George Rawlins, of St. Louis, and Miss Lucile Rawlins, of Paducah, are here this week the guests of relatives.

Charlie Morris left this week for Lexington, Ky., where he will enter the State University for the ensuing term.

John Mc Clayton has returned to Calloway from Missouri and will possibly make his home here. He sold his farm in that state this summer.

O. T. Hale & Co. have one lot carried suits, good quality and not bad styles, to close at \$5.95 this week. See them in ready to wear department.

Joe Wear left the first of the week for Wickliffe, Ky., to spend a week or ten days with his parents. Wilder Wear and wife, before answering the summons to the colors.

L. Robertson and family, of Benton, have been in the city this week the guests of relatives. L. has tendered his resignation as town marshal of Benton and will probably come back to Murray in the near future. He was a candidate for the nomination for re election in the recent primary and was defeated by a Mr. Harris.

The remains of Mrs. W. W. Chunn, who died in the west where she had gone on account of failing health, reached Hazel Wednesday night of this week and were brought to Murray at noon Thursday and laid to rest in the City Cemetery. She was a daughter of Geo. Dulacey, of near Kirksey, and was a splendid christian woman. For the past two years Mr. Chunn and family have made their home in Gibson, Tenn.

J. M. Thurman, of near Pottertown, enjoyed a reunion at his home last Saturday at which time all of his children, seven sons and five daughters, were present. C. M. Thurman, of San Antonio Texas, arrived the first of the past week to be present upon the occasion. Charlie is a policeman in his home town and has served a term of two years and before he left for Calloway received a commission for another term of two years.

NEW GROCERY

We are now located on the

West Side of the Court Square

In the

Tom Morris Building

We Will Pay Highest Market Price for Produce

Bring us your Chickens and Eggs.

We have a line of Groceries, Hardware, Seeds and Feed. Give us a chance and we will treat you right.

Ind. Phone 85. Res. 222-2

Yours to serve,

FAIN & LEE

Miss Maggie Houston left this week for Jenkins, Ky., where she will teach the coming year.

O. T. Hale & Co. have a lot of children's gingham and suiting dresses, \$1.25 and \$1.50 values, to close at 95c this week.

Jim Banks is in Glasgow, Ky., assisting N. L. Gilbert in the installation of tobacco plugging machinery in the Sampson Tobacco Co's plant. Mr. Bradley Holt returned to Murray last week.

R. T. Wells is placing material on the ground preparatory to the erection of a handsome new brick home just west of the city limits near Judge Langston's residence. Work will be commenced at an early date.

Prof. Gus Grogan, one of the county's most capable teachers, has just been issued a life certificate by the state authorities. Mr. Grogan has been teaching twenty-five years and is well known throughout the county.

Paul Ladd, the local express agent, has been taking his vacation the past week and his position is being filled by Kinzie Kendall. Mrs. Ladd and child have been visiting her parents, Foster Padgett and wife, of Hardin, the past week.

Mrs. James Bonner and little daughter, after a visit of several weeks to Mrs. M. H. Jagoe and other friends in Cadiz, went to Murray yesterday to spend several days with Mrs. Bonner's sisters, Mrs. Edwin Wilkinson and Mrs. Clyde Downs, before returning to their home at Andalusia, Ala. — Cadiz Record.

The names of the following pupils appear on the honor roll at the Goshen school: Mary Kemp, Paul Ray, Rubie Baker, Robbye Story, Robbye Rogers, Hilda Page, Dixie Jones, Christine Lawson, Lillian Paschall, Goldie Paschall, Gertrude Paschall and Reba Lamb. The teacher, Mrs. Maude Hayes, expects to report a larger number next month.

Thirty-five members of the W. L. Whitnell family met in reunion at the family home southwest of the city limits Sunday in honor of Bernard Whitnell, of the Canadian army, and who has been at home on a furlough and who returned to his command Tuesday morning. Among the out of town guests were Mrs. H. C. Pogge and son, of Birmingham, Ala., R. C. Whitnell, wife and sons, of Fulton, Ky., Robert Whitnell, Jr., and wife, of Dyersburg, Tenn., Paul Hornbeck and wife, and T. R. Whitnell and wife, of Fulton, Ky.

G. B. Scott and wife visited in Nashville, Tenn., this week.

Miss Effie England, of Brown's Grove, is the guest of Mrs. W. S. Swan.

Miss Ruth Sexton returned home from Birmingham, Ala., last Saturday.

Mrs. C. L. Smith, of Paducah, was the guest of Murray friends the past few days.

Bob Farmer and wife, of Paducah, are visiting relatives in the city and county.

Holland Cole, serving in the coast artillery, is visiting relatives in the county.

Mrs. Myrtle Sauer and sister, Miss Ruby Love, of Paris, are guests of Miss Louise Graham.

Dr. Abner Clopton, of Milan, Tenn.; Mrs. Ethel Hudgens, of Marmaduke, Ark.; and Mrs. Nellie Faires, of Mathews, Mo., were in the county the past week the guests of their parents, D. O. Clopton and wife, west of town.

Zeb A. Stewart and family, of Harlan, Ky., arrived here last Saturday night to be the guests of her parents, J. B. Hay and wife. Mrs. Stewart is in quite ill health and will possibly enter the hospital here for treatment.

Mrs. J. C. Jones returned to her home in Indianapolis, Ind., last Friday after a two weeks' visit to her mother, Mrs. J. B. Daniel, and brother, Frank, west of Murray. They spent Wednesday with C. T. Enoch and wife, north of town.

John Grit Hicks, of Red River county, Texas, has been in the county the past two weeks on a visit to his father, Uncle Howell Hicks, and other relatives. Mr. Hicks left Calloway about sixteen years ago and is a prosperous farmer. He returned home this week.

Mrs. Jeff Shaw, who lived on Cumberland river about three miles below Linton, died last Friday and the burial took place Saturday in the Fuller graveyard. The deceased was twenty-six years of age, and a Miss Salder before her marriage. — Cadiz Record.

School will convene September 10th in Murray. Miss Etna Baker has been engaged to teach in the high school and will fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Houston, who will teach in Lexington, Tenn. The new primary rooms and other improvements will add to the efficiency of the school this year.

Miss Audie Scott, the twelve year old daughter of Eob Scott, of near Kirksey, was "jumping the rope" with other children in the yard at the home of her parents last Sunday. After jumping for some time she staggered and said to her companions that she could not see. She was carried into the house where she died a few seconds after being placed on a bed. The grieving parents have the sympathy of many friends. The burial took place Monday at Kirksey.

Dr. N. B. Ellis left yesterday for Washington, in response to a wire from the war department. He has been accepted for service in the medical corps with rank of first lieutenant. He has been located at Boydsville and came over before leaving to see home folks. Dr. Alai Ellis and Dr. Finney Crawford, dentists, and well known young men of this county, received their commissions last Saturday and are expecting an early call to active service with the army. They were also commissioned with the rank of lieutenants.

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Mrs. Ralph Stanfield and children visited her mother, Mrs. Betty Hart, last week.

O. T. Hale & Co. have a full line of middles, in white and colors, at the old price, \$1 and \$1.25.

Mrs. Wm. Briggs, of Jackson, Tenn., is a Murray visitor this week, the guest of her brother, Joe T. Parker, and family.

Mrs. Tenny Williams and granddaughter, Virginia, of Manleyville, Tenn., are guests of their cousins, J. D. and Bert Sexton.

O. T. Hale & Co. have a few more of those white sport suits, just the thing for school wear, \$3.50 values, this week \$2.45. In the ready to wear department.

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Administrators Settlement Notice

All parties holding claims against the estate of W. A. Felts, deceased are hereby notified to present same to me properly proven on or before Saturday, September 15, 1917, or be forever barred from collecting same. Any persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate must come forward on or before said date and make settlement or be pursued against as the law directs. This Aug. 23, 1917.—S. A. Douglas, Admr.

The embalming I do stands the test and it does not become necessary to send off for assistance.—J. H. Churchill.

A TEXAS WONDER.

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism, and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment, and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2929 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.

I have a nice line of new pictures from which to make selections.—J. H. Churchill.

When our patrons want embalming done we make no charge for it.—Murray Furniture & Undertaking Co. Both 'phones.

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This is a prescription prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER. Five or six doses will break any case, and if taken then as a tonic the Fever will not return. It acts on the liver better than Calomel and does not grip or sicken. 25c

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To the Merchants of Murray and Calloway County:—

Please remember that I am representing the interests of the Dabke-Walker Milling Co., of Union City, Tenn., in this territory, and that their flours, bran, shorts and Dancos (corn) feed are the very best in the market; that their prices are always in line. Three of their brands of flour are Jersey Cream, (highest patent); Sunshine and White Lily—either of these are good enough for anybody. When you are in the market see me or call Ind. 'phone No. 98.—N. L. Gilbert

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This frequently is the downward course of kidney ills.

Don't take this course. Follow the advice of a Murray citizen:

W. B. Hay, Water St., Murray, says: "My kidneys were out of order and I had a sort of dull ache across my hips. The trouble was caused by heavy lifting. Whenever I have suffered in that way, Doan's Kidney Pills have always regulated the action of my kidneys and have helped my back."

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Must Have Been a Whopper. A big box ran into Oris Hawn's, a farmer living north of the city. Wednesday, and the young man is suffering from a dislocated shoulder, a result of the collision. Mayfield Times.

To the Citizens of Calloway County:

I take great pleasure in expressing my thanks to the loyal citizens of Calloway for the excellent vote given me on August 4th for the democratic nomination for representative. To each man, woman, boy or girl who gave me aid or inspiration I am expressing thanks.

I hold no ill will against those who voted or used their influence against me, for to each man is given his preference, and his vote to use as he likes. For the uniform courtesy received during my canvass, I wish to express my sincere appreciation.

Again thanking those who so loyally stood by me and with pleasant feelings toward my opponents and those opposing my election, I beg to remain,

Very sincerely,
T. P. Oliver.

Brown's Grove News.

John Singleton was carried to the Murray Surgical Hospital last Sunday where he underwent an operation for an abdominal trouble.

Our crops are as fine as people could wish for. Clyde Kesterson has purchased a new buggy.

Tobacco cutting has begun in this section, and the crop was never better.

J. L. Singleton is building a new barn.

The neighbors are working John Singleton's crop while he is at the hospital. He will have to stay about two weeks.

Mrs. Amey Wilkerson has recovered from a slight attack of appendicitis.

Sam Morine has built a new house.—Billie.

Death Claims Infant.

The death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scudder Galloway August 23 and took from them their little daughter, Larue, aged three months and two days.

Weep not, dear parents, for she's at rest, and only prepare to meet her in the bright beyond. The little babe has gone to rest, with Jesus Christ forever blessed. Her little tongue will always praise the Savior's love. Why should we wish it back again? But say, dear babe, with Christ remain.—By a cousin, Willie Ray.

An ad in the Ledger—Results.

"Gets-It," 2 Drops, Corns Peel Off!

For 25 Cents Peel Off 25 Corns.

"Gets-It," the greatest corn dis-
coverer of any age, makes your walk
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"Gets-It." That's all. "Gets-It" is
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Never irritates the flesh or makes
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"Gets-It" at any drug store, or sent
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Corn Fodder is Valuable.

Corn that will yield eight bar-
rels per acre will make six tons
of fodder. Surely a ton of corn
fodder cured well is worth more
than a ton of wheat straw, and
wheat straw is selling for up-
wards of \$10 a ton. That makes
your corn fodder worth \$60 per
acre. If you haven't anything
to feed it to, buy something.
There will be some profit in it,
besides you need the manure on
the land.

Draft Reveals Her Sex.

Harry Hoffmao, 30, whose reg-
ular name is Lillian Myers, regis-
tered at Cleveland, Ohio. Failure to
appear for examination caused
her detention by the police when
she broke down and confessed
that for the last ten years she
has been masquerading in a male
attire. During these years she
has worked as a soda fountain
attendant, ice wagon driver, gro-
cery clerk and mover—always as
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